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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Attorney Docket No.: 30203/37386

MS RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the following application:

Serial No. : 09/896,967
Filing Date : June 29, 2001
Inventor(s) : Evren Eryurek et al.
Title : ENHANCED HART DEVICE ALERTS IN A PROCESS CONTROL SYSTEM
Art Unit : 2632
Examiner : D. C. Pope

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Previously submitted
 Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed _____

Enclosed

Amendment/Reply
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 Information disclosure statement
 Other: _____

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2. Miscellaneous

This is a petition for a _____-month extension of time.

Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
(Suspension period not to exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required).

Other: _____

3. Fees

RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) \$ 790.00

Extension of time fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) \$ _____

Other: _____ \$ _____

4. Method of Payment of Fees

Enclosed is a check in the amount of: \$ 790.00

Charge Deposit Account No. 13-2855 in the amount of: \$ _____
A copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

Please direct all future communications to Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP at the address below.

Dated: February 24, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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